

Gabriel's Rapture

by Sylvain Reynard



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Introduction

Exclusively for Spain, Sylvain Reynard talks about his second book “Gabriel’s Rapture”.

It’s a great honor to have trusted me for the second interview.
Thanks Sylvain!

Cayda

Professor Gabriel Emerson has embarked on a passionate, yet clandestine affair with his former student, Julia Mitchell.

Sequestered on a romantic holiday in Italy, he tutors her in the sensual delights of the body and the raptures of sex.

But when they return, their happiness is threatened by conspiring students, academic politics, and a jealous ex-lover.

When Gabriel is confronted by the university administration, will he succumb to Dante’s fate?

Or will he fight to keep Julia, his Beatrice, forever?



Interview

Sylvain, welcome once again to 'Libros de Romántica' it is an honour to have you here one more time.

I would like to thank to my friends Lorena, Eva, Elena, Dunia and Charo for their collaboration.

Hola Claudia, Lorena, Eva, Elena, Dunia y Charo. Hola. Es un placer hablar con usted otra vez.

1. The big day is here, the 5th of March your book Gabriel's Rapture will be released. What do we find in the second part? Can we read how is the growing up of the relationship between the couple? Or their fear will be a Wall between them?

I don't want to reveal too much of the story, but I can tell you that Gabriel and Julia face many changes to their relationship, including university politics, past lovers, and old secrets.

2. In this book, Do we know more details about the past of Gabriel and Jules?

Yes. We also see more of some of the other characters – Christa Peterson, Katherine Picton, Paulina Gruscheva, and Paul Norris. And we see Gabriel and Julia looking toward the future.

3. The Gabriel's inferno is a story with secrets, like his author, Why all that mystery to preserve the real identity of Sylvain Reinard? Which is the reason that no one knows anything about you? Is a marketing strategy or is only your own decisión?

I treasure my privacy and I enjoy living a quiet, peaceful life. Many writers become public figures, but I prefer to stay out of the spotlight. However, I've tried to use my semi-public role as an author to raise awareness of various charities, including the Red Cross and WorldVision.

4. How long did it take to write The Ecstasy of Gabriel, you knew how it was going to follow the story before writing, or modified as you were writing? Sylvain Reinard, Is your real name or is a pseudonym?

I write under a pseudonym. I wrote the outline to the first two Gabriel books in one sitting. Then I began writing the manuscript to both novels. The final version of the novels differ from the outline in some respects but the themes of sex, love, forgiveness and redemption are constant.

5. Would you like that your trilogy was brought to the Cinema?

Many readers have been asking about a film adaptation of the novels. I don't have any news to report, however.

6. Did you ever think that your story could have this success?

No. The success greatly surprised me.

7. Will we see Sylvain Reynard in a book signing?

I don't have a book tour scheduled at the moment. But my publicist, Enn Bocci, will be making appearances at two Book Conventions in 2013, one in Las Vegas and one in Orlando.

Interview

8. We have seen that the British model David Gandy have been chosen for the readers as the professor Emerson. In your opinión, Does he suit to the character?

As much as possible, I've tried not to offer my opinion about who best typifies the Professor, because I'd like readers to envision the person they like the best.

9. As we can deduce from the synopsis, Jules and Gabriel will be together in Italy and Gabriel becomes the guardian of the body and the Julia's soul. Will have more intimate and explicit scenes than in the previous book? Would you say that 'Gabriel's Rapture' it is an erotic book?

I wouldn't say that "Gabriel's Rapture" is erotica. But it is sensual. The Professor is a sensual character who takes pleasure in music, food, drink, art, and sex. So these elements inevitably emerge in the story.

10. In your books you reflected things like the redemption, the forgiveness and the power of the goodness. Has all of this a mystic sense?

Yes. Redemption, forgiveness, and goodness can be very practical since they are things that are experienced by a person. But they are mystical in the sense that I believe they have their source in a higher power.

11. In the 'Gabriels Inferno, we could see that our protagonist exonerates his sins and start forgiving himself. What Gabriel learns on this new journey?

I don't want to reveal too much about the plot, but following the narrative of Dante's "The Divine Comedy," we see the Professor begin to experience a purging of his vices, and a continued journey toward redemption.

12. In how many countries will be published the book series of Gabriel?

At the moment, the books are published in English, Spanish, Portuguese, Polish, and Turkish. Translations into Czech, Croatian, Russian, Greek, French, Italian, Hebrew, Bulgarian, and Hungarian.

Sylvain thanks to give me this opportunity. Have been a pleasure and an honour to have you here.

Muchas gracias, Claudia.

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